INVIRGINIA; DISTRICT TRADING ACTIVE ON

All Three Battalions of Third Graphophone Stocks Take Regiment Plunge Into Struggle Near Hume.

VICTORS AS YET UNKNOWN

First and Third Battalions Are Attacking Second, Commanded by Maj. McCathran.

The District mobilization camp at Fort Myer is practically deserted today. newhere in the fields of Virginia a "battle" is raging between battalions of the Third Regiment, but nothing definite has been learned as to the out-come of the "drive" being made against the Second Battalion by the combined forces of the First and Third. Under command of Major Wallace Mc-Cathran the Second Battalion left camp yesterday morning. Later in the day the Third Battalion marched out after them, and all day yesterday and last night it was a game of hide-and-seek between the two bodies of men. The Second Battalion, after an all day march, camped near Hume, Va., and posting sen-tinels and outposts, waited for the "enemy" to find them.

Hunted for "Enemy" in Vain. For many hours the Third Battalion hunted, but nothing could be learned concerning position of the "enemy," and late last night the tired and disappoint-ed troops pitched camp, only to rise again at the break of day and again take up the hunt.

In the meantime the First Battalion was held in readiness at camp to act In the meantime the First Battalion was held in readiness at camp to act as re-enforcement for the Third, should the position of the encamped "enemy" be found. No man was issued a pass to the city last night. All were kept in camp, ready to leave at a moment's notice.

The bugles summoned them from their tents this morning before sunrise. The sleepy cooks prepared a hasty breakfast, and, swallowing hot coffee and nibbling biscults, the soldiers formed in line with rifles stacked, and eagerly awaited news from the "front."

Battle Is On.

A little after 10 o'clock this morning, a breathless and mud-stained courier rushed up to the commander

of the First Battalion. "Major." he panted, "we have just found the enemy, but they are not ours by a long shot. We need your help, and I am ordered to ask you to come as quickly as possible to our assistance." A command was given, repeated to each company, and the battalion left camp at a brisk trot.

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An hour later increased firing from the "battle" showed that re-enforcements had arrived at the scene of the conflict, but it has not been learned whether their arrival turned the tide of battle as no dispatches have arrived in camp containing news of the outcome

outcome.
Officers and men of the militia are still inclined to believe orders from the Eastern department for their entrainment will reach them before tomorrow night, although they are unable to explain why a delay has occurred, or why the orders did not arrive vesterday.

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When asked today to give his opinion concerning the delay, Brig. Gen. William E. Harvey stated he was unable to account for it.

FRIGHT KILLS GIRL IN RUNAWAY ELEVATOR

Operator Loses Control of Car With Eleven Occupants.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.-Shrieks and calls for help from the elevator in the Livingston building, an eight-story loft structure, started tenants on each floor running to the elevator shaft doors yesterday afternoon. Those on the lower floors got to the doors in time to see the elevator go by. There were nine wom-en and two men in it, besides Fred en and two men in it, besides Fred Small, the negro operator, who called that he could not stop the car.

It descended to the bottom of the shaft, where the recoil of the bumpers sent it bounding aloft again. A girl sprang from it as it started up, and Small followed her. The car continued up after the first rebound, but it moved slowly, and at the fifth floor two girls managed to open the shaft door and jump out. At the sixth floor Abraham Eleshewitz pulled five girls from the car.

It continued to the roof, and on the It continued to the roof, and on the return trip Eleshewitz got both men off at his floor. A girl lay on the floor of the car and he could not reach her.

Meantime Small had found the engineer, who shut off the power. The elevator descended to the bumpers again, and ran up to the third floor before it haited. The girl was taken from it dead. It is supposed she died of heart disease and fright.

Small was arrested on the charge of homicide.

BALTIMORE ADOPTS NEW JITNEY RULES

Standard of Service and Equipment Is Fixed.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 15 .- The public ervice commission has handed down a new set of rules for jitney buses, to besome effective October 1, in place of regulations issued June 19, 1915. The new rules are rigorous and were dealgned not merely to control jitney traffic, but to standardize it so far as

The rules were determined by the commission after study of the jitney roblem by People's Counsel Osborne Yellott and Traffic Expert Bruce W. Duer, followed by public hearings. at which more than 100 representatives of litney lines were present and ex-pressed their wiews. Most of the rep-resentatives of the big lines were in

resentatives of the big lines were in favor of standardization.

No motor car for which a fixed route or a fixed schedule has been made shall vary from it without permission of the commission, except in emergency.

Cars operated for hire other than over a fixed route shall carry a sign designating them as "hiring cars." They may not operate over the fixed route of any other litney or litney concern, nor solicit passengers or freight along any fixed route without being required to obtain from the commission permits as buses engaged in traffic over the fixed routes.

"BATTLE" IS RAGING | LOCAL AND NEW YORK FINANCIAL NEWS

TROOPS ENGAGED WASHINGTON 'CHANGE

Leadership at Prices Above Previous Sales Record.

The volume of trading continued ngton Stock Exchange and the tone of the market was strong.

American Graphophone stocks as-sumed the leadership. Waile the quotation prices of these stocks toppled from

the high points achieved yesterday, the prices brought were materially above the previous sale figures recorded for both the common and preferred issues. A round lot of 100 shares of the common stock brought 152, as compared with 175 on the last sale, and a block of similar proportions of the preferred changed hands at 173½, or 4½ points above het former sale figure.

The bid on the common was lowered from 187 yesterday to 182, and that on the preferred from 179 to 172.

Washington Gas stock was firm. 12 shares selling at 71½ and 4 shares at 72. Odd lots of Washington Railway and Electric common stock totaling 12 shares brought 82, or 1 point more than the last sale price, after which the bid for quotations was advanced 1½ points to 81½.

Other sales included a Potomac Electric Power consolidated 5 per care

to \$1½.

Other sales included a Potomac Electric Power consolidated 5 per cent bond at 101; 25 shares of Capital Traction stock at 83; 1 share of Federal National Bank stock at 153, and 20 additional shares at 155.

Today's Sales.

Potomac Electric Consolidated 5's 1,000p101.
Capital Traction, 25@83.
Washington Railway common, 5@82, 5 682, 2683.
Washington Gas Light, 6@71%, 4@72.
Federal, National Bank, 1@153.
After call—Graphophone common, 100@

Graphophone preferred, 100@173*. Washington Gaz Light, 5@71%, 1@71%. Federal National Bank, 20@155,

Wholesale Produce Market

EGGS-Nearby, fresh, 12@13c per dos. Southern, 10c per dos. CHEESE-New York new. 19c per lb. CHESSE—New fork new, 19c per lb.; fat, 18c per lb..

BUTTER—Elgin print, 22c per lb.; tub, 21c per lb.; process, 25c per lb.; tub, 1LVE POULTRY—Hens, 19620c per lb.; live chickens, 11622c per lb.

LIVE STOCK—Veai calves, test, 11612c per lb.; heavy, 106104c per lb.; fat sheep, 4466c per lb.; spring lambs, 104611e per lb.

JUVENILE COURT IS UPHELD BY SIDDONS

Justice Says D. C. Supreme Court Can't Disturb Order.

The District Supreme Court can not disturb an order of the Juvenile Court, which places children in the custody of the board of children's guardians, Justice Siddons ruled today in on opinion.
The court perused to issue a rule the board of children's guardians show cause why his two children should not

Local Bond Market.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

RAILROAD BONDS
Capital Traction R. R. 5's... 106'
Ana. Pot. Guar. 5's.... 39'
Anacostia & Potomac 5's... 38'
City & Suburban 5's.... 101'
Metropolitan R. R. 5's... 104'
Wash. Ry & Elec. 4's.... 80'4' MISCELLANEOUS BONDS. Potomac Elec. Cons. 5's..... 19074 Potomac Electric Lt. 5's..... 190 Riggs Realty 5's (si ort). PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS. *Capital Traction ... 82%
Wash. Ry. & Elec. com ... 81%
Wash. Ry. & Elec. pfd ... 81%
Wash. Ry. & Elec. pfd ... 145
Washington Gas ... 71%

Amer. Tel. & Telga....... 130
TYPE MACHINE STOCKS. Mergenthaler Linotype. 158% Lanston Monotype. 79% MINING STOCK. Greene Cananea NATIONAL BANK STOCKS.

TRUST COMPANY STOCKS.

SAVINGS BANK STOCKS. FIRE INSURANCE STOCKS.

Arlington Fire Insurance.... 9 -Amer. Fire Ins..... 270 Union Fire Ins...... 6 TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS. Columbia Title Insurance..... 54 ... Real Estate Title Insuarnee... 78 ... MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

Woman Begs to Go to

VENTURA, Cal., Sept. 15.-Judge Rogers, in supreme court here, sen tenced Harold Yorke, a young acrobat, his bride of three months, begged to cause why his two children should not be turned over to him.

Phillips in a suit for divorce from Margaret M. Phillips sought possession of the children, who previously had been placed with the board by the Juvenile Court.

Justice Siddons' action has the effect of leaving the children in the custody of board.

HIS \$1.500 NETS \$100,000

NEW YORK, Sept. 15 .- From an original investment of \$1,500, a Wall Street speculator today collected a profit of \$100,000 in General Motors, said to be the largest profit ever made in a single transaction on the New York Stock Exchange.

More than a year ago the investor bought General Motors on a tenpoint margin and gradually increased his holdings, refusing to sell until this week when he began unloading at the \$600 mark. He closed out his transaction yesterday when he sold his last block of 100 shares at \$715 per share.

New York Stocks.

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Louisville & Nash.... 120% 129 129% | 129 Maxwell Motor Co.... 894 884 884 884 884 884 Miami Copper....... 27% 27% 27% 27% 27 M., St. P. & S. S. M., 191% 191% 191% 191% Missouri Pacific..... 4 4 4 4 4 4 1 4 National Lead...... 72 71% 71% 71% Nev. Con. Copper.... 2214 2114 22 N.Y. Air Brake Co. 144% 143% 143% | 143 N. Y. Central...... 107% 105% 107% 106 N. Y., N. H. & H.... 60% 50% 50 | 50% 37% N. Y., O. & W...... 27 27 Norfolk & West..... 1314 130

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Bonds.

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Bride's Appeal.

"Hubby. I've often heard you speak about your saind days."
"Yes, my dear."
"Can't you help me make a saind for my reception? I'must have one, and I know nothing about the dreadful things."—Kansas City Journal.

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U. S. Steel Opens at 1063/s. Marine Preferred Quoted at 123 Today.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15. The stock ex-NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—The stock exrafty above yesterday's closing figures but slightly under the marks set during the boom market of yesterday. United States Steel opened at 105% Crucible at 94%, Marine preferred 123, Anaconda 20, and Reading at 113%. Motors showed some recessions. Stu-

debaker leading with a loss of 2 points. Stories of "killings" made during the recent rise brought the public into the market on the buying side again today. Steel was again quoted at its record price, 107, and Union Pacific pushed its morning record higher, selling at 144%. Driggs Seabury advanced to par, a gain of 8 points. Heavy buying, apparently for control

shot railway steel springs to a recor price at 55%, a rise of nearly \$ Industrial Alcohol moved up 414 to 12214. Sales for the morning were 637,000

Havre de Grace Race **Entries for Tomorrow**

HAVRE DE GRACE, Md., Sept. 15.— Entries for Saturday, September 16: First race-For three-year-olds and up; selling; six furiongs. Gloeming, 127; "Fairweather, 106; "Illuminator, 109; Dinah Do, 120; "Hands Off, 115; Tantivy, 114; Goodwood, 123; Yankee Notions, 117; Sam McMeekin, 123; "Murphy, 123. Second race-For three-year-olds and

up; steeplechase; handlesp; about two miles. Chas. F. Grainger. 148; March Court, 146; Racebrook, 136; Tom Horn, 140; Frijolee, 152; J. C. Ewalt, 146; Se-quence, 135.

Third race—For two-year-olds: maidens; five and a half furiongs. Kilkenny, 115; Jack Carl, 115; Deckmate, 115; Charmingly, 112; Bargon 2d (imp.) 115; Meiodrama, 115; Glory Belle, 112; Admiration, 112; Golden Rod, 112; Monomoy, 115; Top o' the Wave, 115. Fourth race—For three-year-olds and up; the Chesterbrook Handicap; one mile and a sixteenth. Stromboli, 125; Roamer, 126; The Finn, 125; Short Grass (imp.), 120; Daddy's Choice, 38; Sangallo, 166; Borrow, 121; Capra 110.

The weight on Daddy's Choice includes a penalty of five pounds.

Fifth race—For two-year-olds; handi-cap; five and a half furiongs. Manokin, 112; Killdee, 117; Wood Trap, 122; Wist-

Sixth race—For four-year-olds and up; selling; one mile and seventy yards. *Devil Fish (imp.) 115; *Sir Denrah, 55; *Brave. 58; Carlton G., 12; *Shepherd-oss, 104; Pay Streak, 105; Thought-reader, 103; Orotund, 103. *Apprentice allowance claimed. Weather cloudy; track fast.

ALEXANDRIA POLICE SECURE STOLEN RINGS

Jewelry is Found Under Washstand When Colored Youth Is Arrested at His Home.

ALEXANDRIA. Sept. 15,-Officers Snelling and Zell, of the city police force, arrested Broders Jones, colored, fourteen years old, at midnight last night and recovered a diamond ring valued at \$500 and a pearl-set ring valued at \$10, atolen, it is alleged, from Miss Louiss Griffith, \$21 Duke street. Jones was found at his home. The officers demanded the rings. He produced two cheap brass ones. The officers found the two rings wanted under a washstand,
Judge Caton this morning ordered Jones sent to the reform school.

Gypsy Smith, fr., the evangelist, addressed members of Martha Washington Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star and members of the Masonic fraternity at Masonic Temple yesterday afternoon. At the close of the address Mr. Smith was presented with a copy of Past Master C. H. Callahan's book, "Washington, the Man and the Mason."

ANACOSTIA.

Traffic difficulties at Good Hope oad and Nichols avenue probably will be removed with the assignment of Policeman S., R. Brown permanently at this corner between the hours of 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. each day. He was assigned there some time ago, but while on leave for several days conditions became worse and caused numerous complaints.

The fifty inmates of the Episcopal Home for Children, who have been at the summer home at Colonial Beach since last June, returned to the winter quarters at the head of Talbert street this morning.

An effort is being made by residents to secure the assignment of at least two "white wings" for this suburb, to operate along Nichols avenue and Good Hope road.

The Rev. W. G. Davenport, rector emeritus of Emmanual Church, who was taken ill at his summer home at Colonial Beach, has returned to his home in Maple View place, where his condition is reported improved.

Under the auspices of the members of the Roman Catholic denomination at Congress Heights, dancing is be-ing held each night on the large pa-villon in Wilson Park. The proceeds of this affair will be used to add to the building fund for a new church.

The Rev. W. O. Roome, jr., rector of Emmanual Church, is enjoying a brief vacation in Virginia. Real Estate Transfers.

4 Massachusetts avenue northwest-Robert inal lot 5, square 517, 110.
Dobbins Addition—Jessie I. Mohler to Clark
Riddle, lot 25, square 24, 210.
Longfellow Terrace—National Capital Realty
Company to A. J. Woofter, lot 12, square
2204, 2006. 20 Thirteenth street northeast—Harry A Kite et ux. to Samuel Kauffman and Anni Kauffman, lot 109, square 1989, \$10.

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WEDS CORESPONDENT 3 DAYS AFTER DIVORCE

Millionaire Marries Woman Named in Divorce by First Wife.

PHILADELPHIA. Sept. 15 .- Arthur Lewis Wessel, millionaire piane mant-facturer, of New York, who was di-vorced by Mrs. Wessel last Monday. was married in this city yesterday to Plorence Goetschius, who was named co-respondent in his wife's divorce suit. With Henry J. Goldsmith, a former assistant district attorney of New York. Wessel and Miss Goetschius came to Philadelphia on an early train and ap-

Philadelphia on an early train and appeared at marriage license bureau soon after it was opened.

After obtaining a license, the paiwent to central court, where Magistrate Mecleary married them.

In granting divorce to Mrs. Wessel, the New York supreme court made an order of \$50 a month against Wessel for support of his former wife and three children.

The new Mrs. Wessel is well known in this city and New York. Her home has been in Stony Point, N. Y.

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